

1 Complete the sentences with the correct article.

a/an • a/an • 0 (no article) • the • the

- Now I live in _____ flat.
- I was having a lot of arguments with my parents about _____ politics.
- I'm _____ restaurant manager.
- _____ flat's a bit small.
- I recently moved into my own flat near _____ beach.

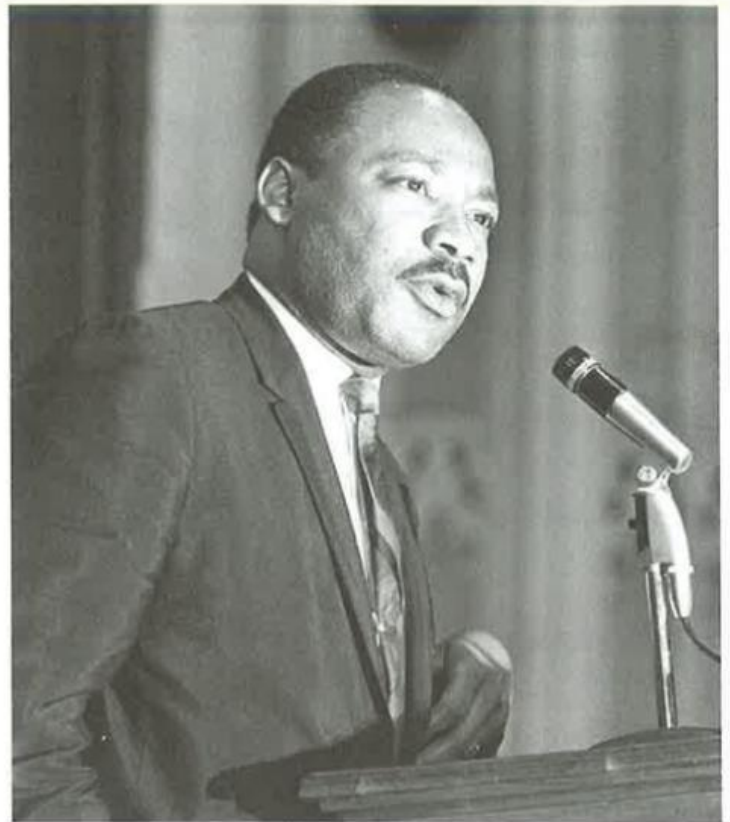
2 Match the rules with the sentences from 1.

- We use no article when we talk about things in general. _____
- We use *the* to talk about a specific person or thing or previously mentioned person or thing. _____
- We use *a/an* to talk about a singular, countable person or thing for the first time, or to say that the person or thing is one of a number of people or things. _____
- We use *the* to talk about someone or something that is unique. _____
- We use *a/an* to say what somebody's profession is. _____

3 Complete the sentences with *a/an* or *the*.

- _____ teacher in the photo looks very clever.
- My brother has got _____ new mobile phone!
- What's _____ title of that song?
- He works for _____ organisation that helps people.
- _____ boy behind you is Paul's cousin.
- What's on TV? Can you pass _____ remote control?
- She's single. She hasn't got _____ husband.
- I have _____ idea! Why don't we go out tomorrow?
- Alex is _____ name of my nephew.
- My stepfather is _____ builder.
- He is _____ director of the film we saw yesterday.
- My sister wants to be _____ economist.
- Have you got _____ new hat? I haven't seen it before.
- _____ coat you are wearing looks very warm.

4 Complete the famous quotes with *a/an*, *the* or *0* (no article).



- 'I have _____ dream.' Martin Luther King
- '_____ Earth goes round _____ Sun.' Copernicus
- 'I paint _____ objects as I think them, not as I see them.' Pablo Picasso
- 'To be or not to be, that is _____ question.' William Shakespeare
- '_____ Imagination/imagination is more important than _____ knowledge.' Albert Einstein
- 'Nothing is more responsible for _____ good old days than _____ bad memory.' Franklin Pierce Adams
- '_____ Only/only problem with common sense is that it is not very common.' Voltaire
- '_____ Life/life is a dream.' Calderón de la Barca

GRAMMAR CHALLENGE

5 Cross out the extra word in the sentences.

- I love the Italian food.
- The English people I am know are really nice.
- We are go to the shopping centre on Saturdays.
- All you need is the love.
- Is the food in this restaurant is good?
- Does your brother is enjoy pop music?
- Where do are you going now?
- The vegetarians don't eat meat.
- We don't not like the new restaurant.

